

**OUR FAMILY SAYS NO TO SCHOOL REGIONALIZATION
STOP SB-457, SB-738 and SB-874**

I voted for Senator Will Haskell and Gov. Ned Lamont and I am a proponent for change in our state but not at the expense of our children's education.

My family values the education quality of Weston and I respectfully request the proponents of the proposed bill find another solution - both for their own troubled school districts - and for the budgetary shortfalls afflicting Connecticut.

We strongly reject a deal to force regionalization on our small town, threatening our high-quality educational infrastructures. This proposal is an egregious violation of local control of the schools and we vow to fight this with everything we have.

We moved to this area for the strong educate-our-children ethos; should this be stripped away by a committee from afar, we would be left with no alternative but to find another community elsewhere where the values of education are not hindered by misguided politicians.

We urge you to put forth all efforts to stop these proposed bills from becoming policy.

Thank you,
Lauren Stark

Weston Resident